

Central Beaverton NAC Minutes for November 7, 2011

ITEM DISCUSSED: Beaverton Police Department

Discussion points: Officer Mike Smith/activity for the month

On Oct. 19 a serious accident between a car and bicyclist occurred at 110th and Canyon. The driver was cited for a dangerous left turn.

Sublimity Snowboard got its stolen merchandise back after the suspects were caught trying to sell the merchandise in Central Oregon with Sublimity tags still attached.

Subway on Cedar Hills Blvd. was robbed one night in Oct. at 3 a.m.

Cameras in police vehicles are used mostly for traffic stops, however new surveillance equipment is being tested in new police cars.

Officer Kingsbury, who accompanied Officer Smith, detailed a postcard program aimed to stop traffic problems triggered by complaints in neighborhoods. The program is funded by money generated by right turn cameras that detect when people don't make a complete stop. 110 postcards cost \$80 and are sent to all drivers in a particular area and seem to be effective.

Intersections chosen for red light cameras are made by accident data.

Bicyclists can receive tickets as any other motorist and it was suggested more education could be helpful.

ITEM DISCUSSED: Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue (TVF&R)

Discussion points: TVF&R Report

Fire department answered 176 calls in our area in October. 85 were for medical emergencies and most were serviced by the department's new Toyota FJ Cruiser, which are operated much more economically and keep the main fire trucks in service.

A new Captain was named to our station on Farmington.

Wear light colors at night to avoid being hit by traffic.

Check heat sources for safety as they may have been just brought into service recently.

ITEM DISCUSSED: Bethel Church

DISCUSSION POINTS: Accomplishments of Central Beaverton NAC.

Rita McCormick brought up an agenda item about Central Beaverton's NAC Chair, Paul Roder, who was recently interviewed by Paul Griffo from Bethel Church. The group wanted to add to Paul's answer about accomplishments of the Central Beaverton NAC.

1. Started Schiffler Park Watch
2. Started mural program
3. Helped War Memorial
4. Beaverton Community Theatre

5. Motocross bike park
6. NACs in general can get people together to solve problems.

ITEM DISCUSSED: Beaverton Committee for Citizen Involvement (BCCI)

DISCUSSION POINTS: BCCI Report provided by Melissa Riley

Highlight from last month was Voters' Forum

Friday, Dec. 2 Annual Tree Lighting at City Park

Beaverton Civic Theatre's Happy Hollandaise opens with \$5 tickets offered with donations of CD or book to library.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The history mural on back of History Center will be dedicated at 3:30 on Saturday, Dec. 10 followed by a Taste of the Holidays Celebration on Broadway.

ITEM DISCUSSED: Urban Renewal

DISCUSSION POINTS: Forrest Soth talked about what Urban Renewal has done in the past.

MOTION: A motion was made and passed unanimously to support Beaverton Civic Theatre's Free Theatre Program.

NOMINATION OF BOARD MEMBERS: A slate of Board Members was set for vote at the December meeting.

Officers:

Chair – Paul Roder

Vice-Chair – Mikhail Hamilton

Treasurer – Ritra McCormick

BCCI Rep. – Melissa Riley

General Members:

Jack Franklin

Carol Franklin

Mary Dowe

Bobbie Ulrich